

**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. RP97-375-000]

**Wyoming Interstate Company, Ltd.,  
Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC  
Gas Tariff**

June 4, 1997.

Take notice that on May 30, 1997, Wyoming Interstate Company (WIC) tendered for proposed changes in its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1 and Second Revised Volume No. 2.

WIC states that the proposed rates changes (motion rates) would increase revenues from jurisdictional service by approximately \$5.7 million based on the 12-month period ending February 28, 1997, as adjusted. WIC requested an effective date of July 1, 1997. WIC states the rate increase is necessary to: (1) compensate WIC for increased operating costs and capital costs primarily associated with WIC's expansion authorized by FERC in Docket No. CP96-288 (preliminary determination, 76 FERC ¶ 61,252, (1996) order granting a certificate, 78 FERC ¶ 61,185 (1997)) and (2) allow WIC to earn a rate of

return on WIC's assets, at a level that will be competitive in capital markets.

WIC states that a full copy of its filing are being served on all jurisdictional customers, applicable state commissions and interested parties that have requested service.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest this filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed in accordance with Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspections in the Public Reference Room.

**Lois D. Cashell,**  
*Secretary.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Office of Hearings and Appeals****Notice of Cases Filed During the Week  
of May 5 Through May 9, 1997**

During the Week of May 5 through May 9, 1997, the appeals, applications, petitions or other requests listed in this Notice were filed with the Office of Hearings and Appeals of the Department of Energy.

Any person who will be aggrieved by the DOE action sought in any of these cases may file written comments on the application within ten days of publication of this Notice or the date of receipt of actual notice, whichever occurs first. All such comments shall be filed with the Office of Hearings and Appeals, Department of Energy, Washington, DC 20585-0107.

Dated: May 29, 1997.

**George B. Breznay,**  
*Director, Office of Hearings and Appeals.*

## LIST OF CASES RECEIVED BY THE OFFICE OF HEARINGS AND APPEALS

[Week of May 5 through May 9, 1997]

Date	Name and location of applicant	Case No.	Type of Submission
05/05/97 .....	National Steel Corp., Pittsburgh, PA ..	VXA-0001	Appeal of an Exception Request Dismissal. <i>If Granted:</i> The April 4, 1997 Dismissal issued to National Steel Corp. by the Office of Hearings and Appeals would be modified regarding the firm's Petition for Special Redress.
05/06/97 .....	Information Focus on Energy, Inc. Gaithersburg, MD.	VFA-0293	Appeal of an Information Request Denial. <i>If Granted:</i> The March 31, 1997 Freedom of Information Request Denial issued by the Ohio Field Office would be rescinded, and Information Focus on Energy, Inc. would receive access to certain DOE information.
05/06/97 .....	Personnel Security Review .....	VSA-0125	Request for Review of Opinion under 10 CFR Part 710. <i>If Granted:</i> The April 4, 1997 Opinion of the Office of Hearings and Appeals (Case No. VSO-0125) would be reviewed at the request of an individual employed by the Department of Energy.

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Office of Hearings and Appeals****Notice of Cases Filed During the Week  
of May 12 Through May 16, 1997**

During the Week of May 12 through May 16, 1997, the appeals, applications,

petitions or other requests listed in this Notice were filed with the Office of Hearings and Appeals of the Department of Energy.

Any person who will be aggrieved by the DOE action sought in any of these cases may file written comments on the application within ten days of publication of this Notice or the date of receipt of actual notice, whichever occurs first. All such comments shall be

filed with the Office of Hearings and Appeals, Department of Energy, Washington, DC 20585-0107.

Dated: May 29, 1997.

**George B. Breznay,**  
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